Violet's POV

Chapter 1: Mate

scars.

"Wake up, bitch!" A nasal voice blasted.

I woke up with a jolt, pain surging through my stomach as someone kicked me. I curled in my

threadbare blanket as tears welled in my eyes. I was sleeping on the ground of a makeshift home

It was my father's mate, Nellie, who was my stepmother.

in a forest that surrounded the White Fur pack.

Rogues were hated by every pack and the moment we were spotted, we were killed. And the

"No one has all the time for you in the world, dimwit!" she spat. She kicked me again on my chest

making me whimper in pain. "We are leaving. The White Fur packs' hounds have scented us."

My name is Violet Clark. I am nineteen. My father and stepmother are rogues and we live like

vagabonds along with a few others, who lusted after me like I was the whore of the rogue pack. It

White Fur Pack was notorious for tracking rogues and killing them.

Grunting and sending more expletives my way, Nellie hurried away.

was a surprise that I kept my virginity intact till now.

'Why don't we kill her?' my wolf, Opal grumbled.

powerful as she should have been. Years and years of abuse and malnourishment have weakened

'If we kill her, my father would kill me instantly,' I said through my tears. My wolf wasn't as

'We will run away, Violet,' she growled. 'At this rate they are going to weaken you and me further. Just yesterday your father caned you on the back. How much can I take?'

I got up, wiping my tears and ignoring the pain in my body that ran deep to my bones. I knew that

my injuries would soon become blue or black. They would eventually heal but very slowly leaving

I tied my sandy brown hair in a messy bun and then folded my blanket crying at my shitty luck. If only my mother was here...

According to the tales I heard, my mother, Fiona, ensnared my father, Alex. She became pregnant

but soon after my birth, she died under mysterious circumstances. And a month later, my father

brought his mate, Nellie. Nellie gave me away to my mother's sister, Macy, from the White Fang

pack, but when I turned five, I was handed back to my father, I don't know why.

we carrying you along with us? You are such baggage!" she cursed.

escape the warriors of the White Fur Alpha.

are hunted down and killed instantly?'

was... harmless.

Ever since then my life took a downturn. Alex and Nellie hated me. Father would hit me and punish me at every given opportunity, and those opportunities never ended. He insisted I do menial work, even for the rogues he was surrounded by.

"You are still crying, asshole!" my stepsister, Sade, shouted. "I hope you get killed today! Why are

I rushed out in my shorts and a tank top, shivering in the cold of the night.

My father had already shifted in his wolf. He snarled at me and then ran out of the cave we were

hiding in. My mother followed him. Soon we all shifted and were running in the forest, trying to

Wincing, I collected my little bag that had a blanket, jeans, one frayed shirt and a set of underwear.

us. Heavy footfalls chased us.

'Run fast!' my father's voice sounded in our heads. I pushed myself to go fast through my pain, but minutes later we heard those howls coming nearer. It meant that this time we were doomed. I ran

rogues. The pain in my chest, stomach and back lanced through me like icy shards. Every breath I

hard knowing fully well that if I stopped, I would be killed, but I couldn't run as fast as other

took hurt me. I wonder if a bone or two in my ribcage were broken after Nellie kicked me.

However, we must have gone only a few hundred meters when we heard snarls and howls behind

'See, I told you," Opal grumbled. 'He is trying to kill us. Leave them.'

'What do I do, Opal?' I said to her, 'If I leave this pack, where will I go? Don't you know lone wolves

'No, we stick to my father!' I instructed and Opal grumbled.

But my stars were all wrong that day. Suddenly someone bit me on my leg and then someone

attacked me on my back. I let out an agonized howl, crashing on the ground on my belly. When I

'This is the time to leave your father. Take a right turn and I will lead you to your mother's pack. I

am sure they will take you in,' Opal sounded desperate. I knew that she wanted to protect me, but

I wasn't sure that my mother's pack would ever take me in. They had betrayed a five-year-old who

My father's angry voice came to my head. 'Come back girls. Leave her to die!'

looked back, I saw Sade's fangs, dripping in blood and Nellie glaring at me.

I whimpered. So this was their plan to get rid of me finally? To maul me and leave me to die? To leave me in the fate of the ruthless warriors of White Fur pack?

I took over, but merely a few minutes later when I was climbing, I was attacked again. A warrior of

the White Fur pack grabbed my hair and pulled me on the ground where he hurled me some

He snarled at me, peeling his lips back. "We found a rogue," he yelled, calling all others as he

removed his dark curly hair from his hazel eyes. I scrambled away from him, scared as hell.

twenty feet away. Excruciating pain and horror gripped me when I saw him towering over me.

Opal couldn't take the pain. 'Take over, Violet,' she said. 'And climb a tree to hide.'

From the corner of my vision I saw five giant werewolves coming in my direction. They surrounded me, their heads dipped, their lips peeled back exposing sharp fangs.

all over my body that I didn't have the strength to live. I was fed up with being treated lowest of the low amongst the rogues. I was exhausted mentally and physically.

So this is the end? I closed my eyes, waiting for it. It was better that I died. There was so much pain

I waited for the final blow, for the warriors to sink their fangs in my neck, or tear me limb by limb, when a strong voice sounded. "Wait."

'I am sorry, Opal,' I apologized to my wolf, defeated. 'I can't take it any longer.'

"Kill her," the warrior ordered.

Alpha standing in front of me, naked.

"Alpha!" the warriors bowed to him, submitting their necks to him.

I jerked open my eyes and looked at the source of the voice. An alpha male was standing in front

of me, naked. My breath catches, but it's not because of the pain in my body. It's a pair of

terrifying and the most beautiful werewolf I'd ever seen. He had shoulder length wavy midnight blue hair, his features chiseled. At over six feet, he was a mountain of muscles.

It was difficult for me to breathe, I was on the verge of death but I couldn't take my eyes off the

gorgeous green eyes that stare at me and those eyes pinned me in my place. He was both utterly

'Mate.' My wolf purred.